

### Change of name of Closepet Town and Taluk to "Ramanagara."

er No. 47-349-48-49, dated 28th July 1948, from the Deputy Commissioner Bangalore District, forwarding, with his remarks, letter No. 49, dated 2nd July 1948, of the President, Town Municipal Council, recommending the resolution of the Council to change the name of the town to "Ramanagara."

In-official Note No. C. 10-593-48-49, dated 4th September 1948, from the Revenue Commissioner in Mysore, furnishing his remarks on the above.

In-official Note No. S. 57, dated 21st September 1948 from the Commissioner for Settlement and Land Records, communicating his opinion on the above.

ORDER NO. R. 4289-338-R.M. 30-48-2, DATED BANGALORE, 17TH NOVEMBER 1948.

The present name of Closepet Town was given in the year 1900 after Sir Barry Close, British Resident at the Court, its name prior to that being "Ramagiri." The proposal of changing the name of this town was considered by the Taluk Conference and by the Municipal Council also in the presence of the people of the town. While the Taluk Conference suggested the name of "Ghandipet" after the name of the Indian Nation, the citizens of the place have suggested the town to be named as "Ramagiri" or "Ramanagara." The Municipal Council have proposed the name of "Ramanagara" and the Revenue Commissioner and the Commissioner of Settlement and Land Records in Mysore in agreement with the Municipal Council.

In the circumstances, Government are pleased to direct that the name of Closepet Town and the Taluk be changed to "Ramanagara."

A separate Notification will also issue.

SYED ABDUL ALEEM, *Rev. Secy.*

### GENERAL SECRETARIAT

As to the appointment of Sri A. T. Rangaswamiengar, Manager, Labour Commissioner's Office and Sri H. K. Chandrasekhara, Superintendent of Statistics, as Labour Welfare Officers seconding them in their present appointments and treating them as gazetted.

Government Order No. S. R. 2113-26-L. W. 108-46-2, dated 6th January 1948, directing that Labour Welfare Officers trained by the Department of Labour be appointed to Government-owned and aided industrial employing 300 or more persons.

Order No. B-200-47-48, dated 5th July 1948, from the Commissioner, recommending that the post of the Superintendent of Statistics be filled as gazetted and No. B. 1161-47-48, requesting approval of the Government for the arrangements made by him consequent on the grant of the post to Zia Mohamed Bokhari, B.A., Assistant Commissioner of Labour.

ORDER NO. S. R. 2112-14-L.W. 86-47-5, BANGALORE, DATED 30TH OCTOBER-5TH NOVEMBER 1948.

The Commissioner of Labour reported that pending the proposal to appoint Labour Welfare Officers to Government-owned and aided industrial concerns, he had the services of Janab M. Abdul Ali, M.A., LL.B., for the post of Labour Welfare Officer in the Mandya Sugar Factory of Sri C. N. Nanjappa, B.A., for appointment as Labour Welfare Officer in the Government Porcelain Factory, at the request of the respective concerns. Subsequently he reported that Janab Zia Mohamed Bokhari, B.A., Assistant Commissioner of Labour, Bangalore Division, had been granted a month's privilege leave from 2nd January 1948 with permission to prefix Christmas and New Year holidays for undergoing medical treatment, that the leave or had been sanctioned, that Sri C. N. Nanjappa who was acting as Labour Welfare Officer, Government Porcelain Factory, had been withdrawn and posted as Assistant Commissioner of Labour, Bangalore Division, and that Sri C. N. Nanjappa, B.A., Acting Investigator on Rs. 100 had been posted to the Porcelain Factory as Labour Welfare Officer in Sri Nanjappa.

The Labour Commissioner also recommended that Sri A. T. Rangaswami Iyengar, Manager of his office and Sri H. K. Chandrasekhara, Superintendent of Statistics, may be seconded as Labour Welfare Officers and seconded in their appointments but retained in the Head Office, acting as Office Assistant and Statistical Assistant, respectively and given gazetted status.

3. These postings and proposals are approved, the officers mentioned above being given the benefit of the grade already sanctioned for Labour Welfare Officers, viz., Rs. 150-25/2-250. This being the grade sanctioned for the Assistant Commissioners of Labour, the said officers will also be treated as Gazetted.

MOHAMED ISMAIL SHERIFF, *Genl. Secy.*

### EDUCATION SECRETARIAT

#### Passes orders regarding the revision of the scales of pay of employees of Municipal High Schools in the State.

READ—

Government Order No. E. 1530-1—Edn. 121-31-8, dated 3rd November 1932, sanctioning the authorised scales of pay for teachers and others in the Municipal High Schools.

2. Government Order No. Fl. 2010-70—S. & A. 25-47-6, dated 21st September 1947, sanctioning the revision of the scales of pay of the Non-gazetted employees in the several Departments of Government.

3. Letter No. H3. 5468-396 of 46-47, dated 6th December 1947, from the Director of Public Instruction, regarding the revision of the scales of pay of the employees of Municipal High Schools in the State.

ORDER NO. E. 4440-61—EDN: 187-47-3, BANGALORE, DATED 18TH NOVEMBER 1948.

Government in their Order No. E. 1530-1—Edn. 121-31-8, dated 3rd November 1932, read above, sanctioned the following authorised scales of pay for teachers and others in the Municipal High Schools:—

	Rs.
1. Head Masters ...	100—5—150
2. Assistant Masters (i) ...	60—4—80
3. Do (ii) ...	40—4—60
4. Commerce Teachers ...	40—4—60
5. Pandits and Moulvis ...	30—3—45
6. Drawing Masters ...	30—2—40
7. Drill Instructors ...	20
8. Clerks ...	20
9. Peon ...	10

The above scales of pay existing at present in the Municipal High Schools were adopted about two decades back when the first Municipal High Schools at Sagar and Dodballapur were sanctioned and the same scales are being sanctioned in respect of every Municipal High School opened since then though vast changes in the economic and other conditions of the State have taken place. In view of the high rise in the cost of living and the difficulty in securing qualified candidates for appointment on the scales existing in these schools, the managements of these schools are obliged to offer a higher starting pay ranging from Rs. 52 to Rs. 60 in the grade Rs. 40-4-60 whenever candidates are required for appointment in their schools.

Though there was urgent need to take up the question of the revision of the scales of pay of the employees in the Municipal High Schools as in the case of the Government employees, the question could not be considered by the Pay Revision Committee as it did not form one of the terms of reference of that Committee. Since then there has been a good deal of agitation both in the Press and outside to take up the question of improving the pay and prospects of the employees of the Municipal High Schools to meet the requirements of the present abnormal conditions.

The Director of Public Instruction states that as the work and responsibilities which the teachers of the Municipal High Schools are required to bear are in no way less onerous than those of their colleagues in the Government and other Aided High Schools, it is but fair to allow in their case also the same scales of pay as exist for the staff of the Government High Schools with suitable modifications. He also states that in view of the large number of Municipal High Schools existing and those to be opened in future and in view of the smallness in size of a majority of these schools, it may not be feasible to adopt for the Head Masters of the Municipal High Schools the scale of pay sanctioned for Head Masters of the Government High Schools. He considers that it would be enough if the existing scale of Rs. 100-5-150 is revised into two grades—one on Rs. 170-10-250 and the other on Rs. 130-10-200, the ratio between the higher and the lower grades being 1:5 and accordingly proposes revised scales for the Head Masters and other employees of

the Municipal High Schools as detailed in the statement appended. He requests sanction to the revision of the scales of pay of the employees as proposed with effect from 1st January 1947, the general principles in regard to fixing the initial pay, granting advance increments, etc., laid down in the Government Order, dated 21st September 1947 and the subsequent Government Orders being applied to the employees in these schools also.

The proposals of the Director of Public Instruction are sanctioned.

The extra cost involved in the revision of the scales of pay as proposed will be approximately Rs. 4,17,355<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> per annum and the average extra cost to Government on account of payment of grants will be Rs. 3,13,016<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> per annum. The extra cost required in this behalf during the year 1948 will be met from the sanctioned grants of the Education Department for that year and the necessary provision will be made in the budgets of the Department for the succeeding years.

A. C. NIRVANI GOWDA, *Edn.*

### APPENDIX

Statement showing the number of posts and total average cost per annum according to the existing scales of pay in Municipal High Schools, the revised scales of pay sanctioned, the number of posts and total average cost according to the revised scales and the extra cost involved.

Particulars	Existing scales				Revised scales sanctioned				Extra cost
	Grade	Average cost per mensem	No. of posts	Total average cost per annum	Grade	Average cost per mensem	No. of posts	Total average cost per annum	
1. Head Masters ...	Rs. 100—5—150	Rs. 130 5/9	56	Rs. 87,733 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	Rs. (a) 170—10—250 (b) 130—10—200	Rs. 220 <sup>2</sup> / <sub>3</sub> 175 1/9	9 47	Rs. 23,832 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> 98,762 <sup>2</sup> / <sub>3</sub>	34,86
						Total	...	1,22,594 <sup>2</sup> / <sub>3</sub>	
Assistant Masters. Do ...	(a) 60—4—80 (b) 40—4—60	73 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> 53 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	114 190	1,00,320 1,21,600	60—5—90/E.B. 6—150.	109	304	3,97,632	1,75,
	Total ...	...	...	2,21,920					
4. Commerce Teachers. Do ...	(a) 60—4—80 (b) 40—4—60	73 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> 53 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	1 28	880 17,920	(a) 60—5—90/E.B. 6—150 (for graduates). (b) 60—5—100 (for non-graduates).	109 85 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	... 29	... 29,696	10,
	Total ...	...	...	18,800					
6. Pandits and Moulvis.	30—3—45	40	177	84,960	60—5—100—6—130	100 4/9	177	2,13,344	1,28,
7. Drawing Masters.	30—2—40	36 <sup>2</sup> / <sub>3</sub>	1	440	60—5—100	85 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	1	1,024	
8. Drill Instructors. Do ...	25—1—30 20	28 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> 20	1 55	340 13,200	(a) 40—3—70 (b) 25—1—40	58 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> 33 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	9 47	6,300 18,800	11,
	Total ...	...	...	13,540		Total	...	25,100	
10. Clerks	25—1—40	33 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	3	1,215					
11. Do	25—1—30	28 <sup>2</sup> / <sub>3</sub>	2	690					
12. Do	20—1—25	23 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	2	570					
13. Do	30	30	2	720	40—2—50/E.B. 3—80.	63 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	68	51,680	34,
14. Do	25	25	4	1,200					
15. Do	20	20	55	13,200					
	Total ...	...	...	17,595					
16. Laboratory Attenders.	15	15	1	180	25—1—30	28 <sup>2</sup> / <sub>3</sub>	56	19,320	11
17. Do	12	12	51	7,344					
	Total ...	...	...	7,524					
18. Peons	12—1—15	14 11/20	3	523 4/5	(a) 18— <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> —22 for Cities. (b) 16— <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> —20 for Districts. (c) 14— <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> —18 for Taluks.	20 8/15 18 8/15 16 8/15	... 4 122	... 883 1/5 24,009 3/5	9,
Do	15	15	1	180					
Do	13	13	2	312					
Do	10	10	120	14,400					
	Total ...	...	...	15,415 4/5		...	...	24,892 4/5	4,17
Grand Total	...	...	...	4,67,928 2/15		...	...	8,85,283 7/15	

\* The two grades will be in the ratio of 1 : 5

† The extra cost will depend upon the number of teachers in the graduate and non-graduate scales.